

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Group Art Unit No.: 2136

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For: PREVENTING DENIAL OF SERVICE  
ATTACKS USING AN ACCUMULATED  
PROOF OF WORK APPROACH

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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In reply to the first Office Action mailed October 23, 2007, the shortened statutory period for which runs until January 23, 2008, please reconsider the subject application in light of the amendments and remarks herein.

- Amendments to the Specification begin on page 1.
- Amendments to the Claims begin on page 5.
- Remarks begin on page 13.